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Sir:

In response to the written restriction requirement dated June 20, 2001, the applicants hereby elect to prosecute the Group I claims, i.e. claims 1-27 which are drawn to entomopox viral vectors, cells containing said viral vectors and methods of providing a mammal with a therapeutically effective amount of a protein using said vectors, without traverse.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees under 37 CFR 1.16 or 1.17 as required by this paper to Deposit Account 19-0065.

Applicant invites the Examiner to call the undersigned if clarification is needed on any aspect of this election.

Respectfully submitted,

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